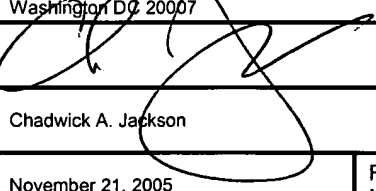


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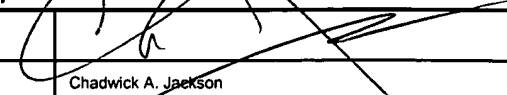
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Applicant files this AMENDMENT AND REPLY to the Office Action mailed October 21, 2005, for the above-captioned application. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 19-5127, Order No. 25737.0002.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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Please amend the Application as set forth in the Amendments below.

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